

We handle the finest and largest stock of Mens Womens and Children's fine shoes in town, and are the only firm that handle Exclusive and Special lines, and have every pair of our Men, Women and Childrens fine shoes made to order. If you want the finest and best come to see us.

THE ALMIGHTY DOLLAR

Is the dollar you spend with us, because we give the Greatest value for it

Quality is of first importance--quality joined with low prices is the buyers "Klondyke." We keep quality; we sell it at prices that makes your DOLLAR MIGHTY.

Without any fuss or funny business, without any noise or nonsense we are going to put a Magnificent Line of seasonable goods on the market at prices that will make them JUMP.

We MUST have room for our immense fall stock, and to sell QUICK we will sell CHEAP, and a dollar never went so far at anytime, or in anyway, as it goes right now, right here in this store.

CLOSING OUT SHIRT WAISTS

To close out our stock of shirt waists, we will them at one-half price.

50 cent Waist for	75 cents.
75 " " "	40 "
\$1.00 " " "	50 "

CLOSING OUT OXFORDS

To close out our stock of Oxfords, we will sell them at prices that will astonish you.

65 cent Oxfords for	40 cents.
85 " " "	60 "
\$1.00 " " "	75 "
\$1.25 " " "	\$1.00

CLOSING OUT SHOES.

To close out some lines of Men's Fine Calf Shoes, we will "slash" them in the following manner.

\$3.00 Shoes for	\$2.00
\$2.50 " " "	\$1.75
\$2.00 " " "	\$1.50

CLOSING OUT ORGANIES.

To close out our line of Organies, Fancy Lawns and Summer Dress Goods of all kinds, we will offer them at phenomenally low prices.

CLOSING OUT STRAW HATS

To close out our stock of Straw Hats, we will sell them at almost any price.

No Cheap Trash

We have no room for cheap trash and no desire to deal in it. We guarantee that every article in our stock has got the value in it and is worth every cent of the price asked. We sell the kind of goods that improve on close inspection and stand by you like a brother.

BIG CUT IN ALL DEPARTMENTS

CLIFTONS

Still at the old stand, standing like the rock of Gibraltar against high prices and shoddy goods

The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

With the assistance of the war, the gold standard can not keep wheat more than three dollars above the 50 cent mark.

Oscar Turner, Jr., is a candidate for Congress in the Louisville district. He is a son of our old Congressman and is a brainy young man.

His friends claim that ex Gov. Brown has received petitions signed by thirty thousand voters asking him to become a candidate for Governor, and that he will yield to the pressure and announce.

They want the people of Kentucky to buy a ten thousand dollar set of dishes for the battleship Kentucky, and lots of people who don't own even a tin cup will chip in.—Murray Ledger.

The only impediment to the advance of Miles' army in Porto Rico is its inability to supply American flags for every place captured. The General writes home for a supply of stars and stripes.

After all the tear shedding speeches, and heart-softening resolutions, and sky-scraping editorials it promises just to be a war for more territory. Humanity is not in it, when placed in the scales with dollars and real estate.

At a meeting of the directors of the Manufacturers Association in Chicago resolutions were passed asking the President "to exact that the ports of all Spanish territory in the Pacific ocean be opened upon the most liberal terms to all the products of American industry." To briefly state it, the Illinois manufacturers want free trade. This is a peculiar petition to come from people clamoring for a Chinese wall of protection around the United States.

The Press had said its piece concerning the congressional nomination and was in good humor with the world and all mankind until Bro. Pike, of the Cadiz Telephone, comes along and threatens to defeat the editor for the state senate, unless he gets a Uriah Heep penitential move on him, with Bill Jones of Princeton. As it is two years until the senatorial election and then four years from that time until a Crittenden Democrat is allowed the exalted privilege of going over the

district with a "chip on his shoulder," the editor of the Press never dreamed that there was a psychologist in the district able to penetrate his soul and locate the objective point of his cogitations six years in the sacrifice of his future. Now, sub rosa, or to be a little less obtuse, on the dead quiet, Bro. Pike, you have hit the annus of our opposition to the congressional committee modus operandi of doing business. We figured this way: if the congressional committee in 1898 made the entrance fee for an old fashion Democratic primary from \$1500 to \$3000, then by the end of the first decade of the next century—as soon as we could run—the senatorial committee, by the law of progression, would make the entrance fee something near the same sum, and Bill Jones, or any old Bill, would outclass us. Then again, if the congressional committee in 1898 does away with the primary, calls itself together and makes a nomination and charges the successful candidate up with the expenses of the meeting, by the same law of progression, the senatorial committee in 1904 would be doing business at that stand and if we were successful we would have to get Bill Jones or some other stern hill to pay the committee and take the job. But we have concluded to push aside our long cherished ambition, stand by the committee, and take chances with Billy. However, our delinquent subscribers may expect to get the Lexington judge said politics was. We'll need money, for they do say that Billy sometimes makes it "hot" for the opposition.

Primitive Baptists.

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LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.

CALDWELL SPRINGS.

Miss Essie Bennett has been sick several days.

Mrs Fannie Koon has two good horses for sale.

Miss Jane Oliver has been very sick for some time.

Johnnie Koon is real sick with congestive malaria.

Miss Jennie Yandell is visiting her friends at Hampton.

Mr Winn Lockett of Henderson attended church here Sunday.

Rev Wells filled Rev W R Gibbs' appointment at this place Sunday.

Mrs Cordie Yandell and her little daughter Gracie have typhoid fever.

Misses Gertrude Steele and Eunice Hawley of Lyon county were visiting here Saturday and Sunday.

Next Saturday is the time appointed to clean off the cemetery at place.

Every one who is interested should attend.

We would be glad if a good singing teacher would come to Caldwell Springs. We think he would have no trouble in securing a good class.

Two of our famous baseball players went over with the Eddyville boys to Cadiz last week and add crossed bats with the team at that place. They say the Cadiz boys were "not in it."

If you want some one to pitch ball for you just send for Hill and Dunbar.

George Koon, our soldier boy who went from this neighborhood, writes from Cuba that he was in the hottest part of the Santiago fight, men were killed all around him but he was not injured. He is now camping three miles from Santiago on a high hill.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla has had a wonderful effect on my little daughter. She is five years old and has been very delicate all her life. She was nervous and irritable and had no appetite. A large lump would form on her neck every few weeks and there would disappear, leaving her very weak. We succeeded in giving Hood's Sarsaparilla. At that time there was a lump on her neck. When she had taken one bottle it had disappeared altogether and she seemed like a different child. Instead of being cross and fretful she goes about laughing and singing as merrily as any child. We are very grateful for Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. JENNIE GARNER, Bardstown, Kentucky.

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SUITS ARE FILED.

Mr. Prow Wants Damage From The I. C. and Mrs. Miller Wants A Divorce

THE ASYLUM VS McDOWELL.

The Western Kentucky Lunatic Asylum has filed suit against Geo. H. McDowell for board and maintenance from Nov. 1881, until July 1, 1898, for \$3,323.88. McDowell was sent to the asylum from this county in 1881, and is there yet. Since then he has inherited a piece of land in this county, and is subject to the debt.

Georgia A Miller has filed suit asking for a divorce from her husband William G. Miller. According to the petition they were married in the County July 7, 1889, and lived together as husband and wife until May 1895, when the husband abandoned her. She also asks for the custody of their child, Sherman R. Miller, aged four years.

W. S. Prow has filed suit against the I. C. railroad for \$3000 damages. In the petition the plaintiff alleges that the conductor and employees who were in charge of the passenger train did wantonly and negligently and in total disregard of plaintiff's right as a passenger fail and refuse to stop said train a sufficient length of time to allow plaintiff to alight therefrom in safety but did willfully, recklessly and negligently fail and refuse to assist. There are other places to spit upon than upon the side-walks. The streets are broad, and the average tobacco-chewer, practiced as he is in the high art of expectorating, would have no trouble in hitting the wagon-ways, or he might locate himself on the back alleys, or water ways in town where he proceeds to regale himself with a chew of either "old long green" or plug. The ladies constitute the refining influence of the community, and the men admire their handsome dresses, appreciate their always tidy appearance, and when a sensible request of this kind comes from a committee of representative ladies of the community, he who "wantonly refuses to equine is as heartless as a hog, and it left to his own inclination would take his meals in the back yard with the chickens and geese, rather than consume any of his own talents in a movement towards cleanliness. Don't spit on the side-walks; expectorate in your pocket first.

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A Kennedy for Baikness.

The popular groceryman, A. M. Henry, undertook to come from the Springs Sunday, after the rain, in a buggy pulled by a hulky horse. He had a woeful time of it, and finally at the last big hill, west of town, just as the hardest shower came, neither coach, blow, blow or money would make that old mare go. Ab took the rain with the patience of Job, and in this meditative mood, a happy thought came. Acting on the inspiration of the wet moment, he parted the hair of the mare's tail in the middle, slipped the locks around the willow tree, tied them securely together, and yelled, "go on." That hulky mare has hardly stopped yet; she brought the buggy up the hill and came up the street at a two-forty gait. Ah has a pair of harness for sale—he don't need any thing but a pair of check lines.

COUNTY COURT.

Roads and Passways Always There. Assignees Settle. Saloon License.

H. H. Kemp's assignees filed order showing settlement and were discharged.

W. M. Tebo vs Simon Stations, for passway, dismissed by order of the court.

It was ordered that W. M. Ford and G. B. Johnson's road precincts be merged into one, and W. M. Ford be continued as overseer.

H. J. Hazel appeared in open court and refused to accept the \$10 damages awarded him by the commissioners for passway, and the case was set for trial Aug. 16.

Tuesday Mr. J. C. Griffin filed with the county court a receipt from the clerk of the board of trustees of Dycensburg showing that he had been granted saloon license by that board for one year from Aug. 6. The county judge, as provided by law, granted him state license.

John N. Clark was appointed guardian for Miss Minnie Eddings.

Mrs. M. E. Croft was appointed guardian for Willie, Jessie and Ruth Croft.

Treat yourself to a stylish pair of shoes at Pierce Yandell Gugenheim Co.

Deeds Recorded.

A. C. Deboe to M. R. Deboe 40 acres for \$480.

B. F. James, Jr. to Susan Mitchell 2 acres for \$15.

John H. Morse to Wm. Herrigan, house and land near town for \$1700.

K. E. Crayne to James Dobbs, lot in Graysonville for \$25.

H. L. Martin to N. B. Martin, 62 acres, deed of gift.

ANSWER TO "CITIZEN."

An Answer to "Citizen," and a Different View of the Much Discussed Situation.

LESS DRUNKENNESS CLAIMED.

Editor, Press: I note a letter in last issue of the Press from "Citizen," who expostulates considerably on the sale of liquor in our little city. In complete form with the Secretary of the Board prior to the hour of closing our office on September 1st; otherwise the applicant cannot be examined soon after filing applications applicants will be notified as to the exact date of the examination.

Respectfully,
S. W. Adams,
Secretary C. B. B.

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Going to Woods

& Fowler's

Say, Sallie Ann,

Well!

I was at town the other day and

went in to Woods & Fowler and

the way them fellows are selling goods

it beats all. You know them fine

slippers worth \$2.00 going for \$1.50,

those worth \$1.50 at \$1.75 ones

at 50 cents, and them fall shoes for

men, women and children are the

best I ever saw for the price, and them

boys are doing business I come here

to tell you. Spur cash is the stuff

that makes them move. And their

clothing for old men, young men and

kids is the best and prettiest, and you

just bet the prices are right, and the

new goods they are getting in every

few days, Golly, they are nice. There

where we will do our trading—and

now is the time to get the bargains

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thy. —C. L. Boggs, Stompton, Gilmer

Co., W. V., For sale by J. H. Orme.

BUTS

A Horse Ride That May Have Some Thing To Do With It.

troubled me for a long time. They were large and painful. I tried many medical remedies, but nothing helped me. I was completely cured when, by recommendation of my druggist, I used

Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

W. N. RICHARDSON, Eureka, Fla.

Crayne—Eddings.

On Tuesday evening last, at the residence of Henry Young, Mr. Bert Crayne and Miss Minnie Eddings were happily joined in wedlock, Rev. W. F. Paris performing the marriage ceremony in presence of a large assembly of friends.

The bride is a daughter of the late N. B. Edgington of this place, is pretty and accomplished and will make a lovely young wife.

The groom is a prominent, industrious and enterprising young farmer of Crayneville, and the union promises to both a happy future.

The Press extends cordial congratulations.

Theodore Roosevelt declared in a letter to the Secretary of War that the 4,000 men in the cavalry, including his "roughriders" were worth 10,000 national guards in battle. This raised the ire of Secretary Alger and he plainly told the rough rider that he wanted no more "invalids" or "comparisons."

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As to Cuba, the American terms demanded the evacuation of the island without specifying the future form of government. The Spanish reply is said to accept the principle that the Spanish sovereignty over Cuba will terminate but it is understood to take up the future government of the island, because of the extent of Spanish interest there.

The American conditions as to Porto Rico, the Landrones, Manila, etc., are believed to have been accepted, but the topics are treated at some length.

Stripped For Battle.

New York, Aug. 9.—A copyright dispatch to the World dated at Manila August 4 says:

The United States monitor Monterey arrived here today. Manila will fall as soon as the monitor Monadnock comes here. She is expected by next Tuesday. Admiral Dewey's ships are stripping for action.

Lightning in the Philippines.

New York, Aug. 9.—A copyrighted cablegram from Manila Bay Aug. 4, via Hong Kong, Aug. 9, to the Evening World, gives the following particulars of the fighting Malate on July 31:

General Greene's forces numbering 3,000 men had been advancing and entrenched. The arrival of the third expedition filled the Spaniards with rage and they determined to give battle before camp Dewey could be reinforced.

The trenches extended from the beach three hundred yards to the left flank of the insurgents.

In the midst of a raging typhoon with a tremendous downpour of rain the enemy's force, estimated at 3,000 men, endeavored to surprise the camp. Our pickets were driven in and the trenches assaulted.

The alarm spread and the First California regiment, with two companies of the third artillery, who fight with rifles, were sent up to reinforce the Pennsylvanians. The enemy were on top of the trenches when these reinforcements arrived, and never was the discipline of the regulars better demonstrated than by the work of the third artillery under Captain O'Hara. No thing could be seen but flashes of Mauser rifles.

Men ran up to the attacking Spaniards and mowed them down with regular volleys. The men pulled their guns through mud axle deep. Two guns were sent around on the flank and poured in a destructive fire. The enemy were repelled and retreated in disorder. Not an inch of ground was lost, but the scene in the trenches was one never to be forgotten.

During the flashes of lightning the dead and wounded could be seen lying in blood red water, but neither the elements of heaven nor the destructive power of man could bring a cry of protest from the wounded. They encouraged their comrades and handed over their cartridge belts.

During the night the Spanish scouts were seen carrying off their dead and wounded. The American dead were buried next day in the convent of Mar acan. American loss was 9 killed and 47 wounded, and the Spanish loss is placed at 300 killed and 200 wounded.

Spain Sends Her Answer.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 9.—More than 24 hours after it had begun to reach Washington the Spanish note in answer to the president's peace conditions was presented at the white house by the French ambassador.

What the nature of the answer was can only be conjectured at this stage, the Secretary of State at the conclusion of the conference making a formal statement that nothing whatever could be given out.

The conference lasted an hour and twenty five minutes. This prolonged discussion is believed to indicate the Spanish answer is not satisfactory in all respects, though in just what points it fell short in measuring the expectations of the president is not stated.

According to the view, the president has taken exception to some of the Spanish conditions, but has allowed a last opportunity for them to be withdrawn or modified.

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Shoes and Slippers.

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Shirts, Underware

and Laces.

White Goods, Belts.

AND EVERYTHING ELSE IN OUR LINE.

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Low Prices and Good Values to all is our Big Gun.

PIERCE YANDELL GUGENHEIM COMPANY.

The Press.

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.
ONE YEAR ONE DOLLAR

LOCAL BREVITIES

Mr. R. A. Moore will move to Marion in September.

Mr. J. H. Walker, of Henderson, spent Sunday in Marion.

Messrs O. M. James and Thomas Clifton spent Sunday at Dawson.

Miss Mary Hurst, of Marion, Ala., the guest of friends in Marion.

Mr. Charles Browning and family, of Evansville, are guests of friends in Marion.

"Uncle" Bazewell Butler was in town Monday for the first time in two years.

Mrs. W. D. Wallingford is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Noggle, at De-Koven.

Mr. H. C. Moore and wife of Hopkinsville were the guests of his mother Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. James F. Roseau and family, of Christian county, are visiting the family of J. B. Kavill this week.

Persons having clover they desire hulled should notify J. P. Pierce. He has a huller and is ready for the business.

New Clothing at Pierce Yandell Guggenheim Co.

Mrs. Martha Montgomery and Miss Mattie Barnhill of Providence, Ky., are visiting the family of Mr. J. B. Kavill.

Rev. Mr. Collins, a missionary to Mexico, will preach in the Cumberland Presbyterian church at this place tonight.

The old reliable barber shop, next door to the post office, does the best and cheapest work. Hair cut 15cts shave 10, shampoos 15, seafoam 10.

Mr. O. I. Ong of Onder has rented Mrs. Lovings residence at this place. He comes for the purpose of sending his children to school.

Mr. F. J. Clement returned to Texia last week, after spending some months here. He will take charge of a school in Texia.

There has been a big demand for houses in town the past few weeks, and every residence has been rented to people who will come to town to send their children to school.

Mr. J. H. Morse has a new girl baby at his house. This is not altogether a new experience with John, consequently he is bearing the honor with becoming dignity and appropriate grace.

Miss Pearl Cook is visiting friends in Madisonville.

Hair cut 15cts at Vickers & Williams Barber shop.

On the 5th marriage license was issued to Joseph Hopson and Mrs. Irenetha Hoousman.

Miss Alice Browning went to Livingston county Monday to do some soliciting for the school. Miss Browning is not only a good teacher, but a good solicitor.

The Pages and either of the following four papers one year for \$1.25 Louisville Dispatch.

Louisville Commercial.

Courier-Journal.

New York Tribune.

Mr. J. H. Yandell has the contract for building a new residence for Mr. L. F. White on the latter's farm. It will be a five room cottage, finished in good style.

Any one traveling over the county now would note the great quantity of stock pens growing. The farmers are finding out that this crop is easily raised, and is very superior as feed for stock.

Messrs. Willie Law and Frost Patent left Indianapolis last week to come to this country on tandem. When they reached Evansville they concluded to try steamboat riding the remainder of the way. They are visiting Col. A. D. McFee's family.

The horse swappers were out in full force on Monday, and there was a lively exchange of "hoss feeb." Two good horses were put up for sale and the highest price bid was \$25. Horses are probably lower in the county now than ever before.

Another Cynthian county boy has been heard from in Texas. Sandy Dean is the favorite of fortune this time; his wife has presented him with a pair of fine boys as ever peeped at the light of day in the lone star state. Texas is a great state, especially that portion of it peopled by Kentuckians.

The road workers have been putting in the past two weeks. Almost every road has had a working. We hear of some overseers complaining that they have used up the six days provided by law and their roads still needs more work. While the hands can not be forced to work more than six days, except in case of emergency, nobody is going to kick if they put in twelve days.

All persons indebted to me must come forward and settle without delay if they want to save cost, I have purchased a piece of land and am bound to pay for it; my money is in the hands of those who owe me, and I must have it at once. This is the last warning, and while I regret it, necessity will compel me to collect by law.

J. L. Rankin.

Fords Ferry, Ky., Aug. 9, 1898.

Fine Apples.

Walter Wilson has our thanks for some great big apples—the Shaffer and Ollie James variety.—Murray Ledger.

Our Soldier-Boys Write

CAMP GEO. H. THOMAS, CHICKAMAUGA PARK, July 26.—

Tonight my mind wanders back to the scene of my boyhood and I take advantage of an opportunity to speak through your columns of military affairs in the Third Kentucky Regiment.

The first army corps under command of Maj. Gen. Brooke was ordered to proceed to Porto Rico several days ago, both the First and Third Kentucky were in the first corps, first division and third brigade.

The First division is commanded by Gen. J. H. Wilson and the Third brigade (ours) is commanded by Gen. Fred D. Grant who bears an excellent resemblance to his illustrious teacher.

For the present allow us to bid our many friends through the Press a pleasant "good-bye." Trusting that we may be return when the clouds have rolled away.

John Nunn, John McCord, Crossland Miles, and "Cooney" Wallingford of the Madisonville company go with us. With best regards to all,

Faithfully yours,

Lewis L. Brumett.

LATER.—The Third Kentucky Regiment left Chickamauga at 4 p.m. on Wednesday the 27th and arrived at Newport News on Friday the 29th at 8:30 a.m. We come over the South via Knoxville, Ashville, N.C., and Richmond, Va. The scenery on this route is picturesque. We pass through the Blue Ridge Mountains in North Carolina, and I never expect to see a more beautiful sight than that presented to our view on the trip.

On our way here we were greeted with cheers and many "God bless you boys" all along the route. At most every station along the route ladies gave out sandwiches, cakes, pies fruits and coffee. The trip from Chickamauga was a delightful one on our arrival.

We were greeted by the people here, we found the First Kentucky here, we went into camp immediately.

We are camped on the bank of the James river, which is eight miles wide and salt water, and just out of the city limits. The boys were out and glad to get on "terra firma" again.

At dinner time the W. G. T. U. performed two large barrels of soup, with cakes and coffee out to us which was duly appreciated. And now a word about Newport News, Va.

I have long wanted to visit this spot, it is a garden spot. The people are hospitable and kind. At present our regiment is in quarantine at the mouth of the river, and will be out in a day or two.

A prisoner was sent from here yesterday morning to the military prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. He belongs to Company A, and was convicted by court martial of stealing \$100 from his tent mate and was sentenced to nine months in prison, forfeiture of pay, and a dishonorable discharge.

Several men were bucked and gagged in the guard house in the last few days, but none from Company F, however, and many are being put in for very trivial offenses. A great deal of ugly feeling is being engendered against the officers among the men by such unnecessary severity.

Dress parade every evening has been discontinued, as we are told by recommendation of General Miles; and I also understand that he has recommended that battalion drill be discontinued. If this be the case it is

War has been declared on our stock of filling and Summer good and we are compelled to surrender our stock of seasonable goods **AT ONCE** to make room for the immense stock of Fall and Winter goods already purchased.

Sheriff's Notice.

1, or my deputy will be at the following places for the purpose of collecting taxes. The appointments required by law, and are made for the convenience of the people, and in complying with the law, I expect the men to be on hand ready to settle. There is no need of the payment of your taxes:

The W. J. Brown regiment is in camp at Parimire, three miles north of me. I went up Sunday and found him uncomfortable, sitting in his tent.

Yours truly,

John Woolly.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, July 8, 1898.

CORINN SAM: I will write you a few lines after our three days hard fighting to let you know that I am well. I went through without a scratch, while they were falling all around me. My battery was ordered within five hundred yards of Spanish trenches; one of our men and three of our horses were killed in less than twenty minutes. The helmets were so thick we could not get a good breath. Don't say the Spaniards won't fight if they can get into a ditch, for I know they will, but we can whip them all the time.

Our artillery is camp now, three miles from the city and the infantry is within two miles. We will make another attack on them tomorrow at 12 o'clock and take the city if they don't surrender; we have done good work with our battery. They lack our infantry and we moved our battery up on a hill and tore their block house all to pieces with six shots.

LEWIS L. HUMBERT,

1st Supt. Co. K, 1st Ky. Reg.

Crossland Miles left for Porto Rico on the day we got here. He is with the hospital corps.

CAMP CUBA LINNEMAN,

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 1.

DYAN ENRICO: I wish a small space in your paper this week.

Time drags rather heavy in camp life, but when we get a "pass" and go to the city we have a pretty good time. For instance the army surgeons have laid a strict blockade against watermelons and pines, and do not allow any to cross the guard lines; but when we go down town we eat all of those articles we can hold.

The Baby McKee, the smallest boy in the navy, was in Jacksonville for two or three days last week, on her way to join the fleet in Cuban waters. She was visited by thousands during her stay, there being a crowd continually on her decks.

Saturday the filibuster Democrats came into port and will be here for some time for repairs. A German barque, the Lina, lays out in mid stream in the river, she is the largest sail vessel ever in Jacksonville. She is a hulk that was abandoned by her crew in West Indian waters because of stress of weather. She was picked up by the filibuster. Three Friends, and brought in here, where she is being refitted and will be sold to the government.

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From your boy,

George D. Koon,

First Artillery Light Battery K Military Station No. 1, Cuba.

The above letter was written to Mr. S. U. Bennett of this county.

TO OLD POINT COMFORT

AND THE SEA SHORE,

Tuesday August 16, 1898.

Novelties in shoes not found anywhere at Pierce, Yandell, Guggenheim Co.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart, of Graton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles.

It cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well nod healthy woman." Trial bottles free at J. H. Orme's druggist. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed or price refunded.

Farm for Sale.

I have about 25 acres of land in a good neighborhood, near church and mills, 1 mile from town, 4 miles northwest of Madison county seat and railroad town, 1/2 miles of Onder river. The land is about one half cleared, timbered; good wheat, corn and tobacco; good timber, water in house, in yard; have clover and grass, feed of nearly all kinds, good house, barn, nice garden, and many other space for timber, and land in lots or parcels as it is convenient of division. Age and price will compel me to part with the farm.

If you apply soon will secure a good bargain. Should you want to sell farm crop, stock of all kinds, farm implements in a lump or cheap, give possession at a time. For full particulars call G. F. Williams.

Every attention and courtesy will be extended to ladies without efforts. Choice of routes returning between Richmond and Clifton Forge, will be given, enabling those who desire to visit Lynchburg, Natural Bridge and other points of interest.

Sleeping car rates will be \$1.00 for birth, Louisville to Old Point, to be occupied by one or two persons, and application for sleeping car space should be made at once to W. A. Wilcox, S. P. A., Hopkinsville, Ky. For full particulars, address as above or call on Agent L. C. Ballou.

The Rev. W. B. Costley, of Stockbridge, Ga., while attending to pastoral duties at Ellwood, the state, was attacked by cholera mortis. He says: "By chance I happened to get hold of a bottle of Gishenheit's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy and I think it was the means of saving my life. It relieved me at once."